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LOCAL NOTICES.

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FIRST EDITION.

12 O'CLOCK, M.

WASHINGTON.

PENNSYLVANIA IN THE CABINET.

George H. Stuart, the Coming Man.

The Next House Speakership—Handsome Action of Mr. Dawes, Who Leaves Mr. Blaine a Clear Field—Caucus of Democratic Congressmen—The Constitutional Amendment—The Census—The Alaska Bribery.

Special Dispatch to Pittsburgh Press.

WASHINGTON, February 25, 1869.

The Speakership of Next House.

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NEWS SUMMARY.

BY TELEGRAPH.

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HARRISBURG.

THE SUFFRAGE AMENDMENT.

Protest of Democratic Senators—Rate of Interest—Incorporation of Railways by General Government—Bill to Impose Taxes on Spirits, Petroleum, Anthracite Coal and Boom Companies—Important Public Bills.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

HARRISBURG, PA., February 25, 1869.

SENATE.

Democratic Remonstrance.

Numerous remonstrances have been presented by the Democratic Senators, including Linderman, Davis, Jackson, Turner, Wilson and Searight, against the ratification of the proposed fifteenth amendment to the Constitution of the United States.

Allegheny Sewerage.

Mr. Graham presented the resolution of Allegheny City Councils for an act relative to sewers and sewerage assessments.

House Bills Passed.

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Bills Passed Finally.

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Rate of Interest.

[illegible]

Government Railways.

[illegible]

Public Bills.

[illegible]

EUROPE.

BY THE ATLANTIC CABLE.

Interesting Proceedings in the Spanish Cortes—The Vote of Thanks to the Provisional Government—Speech of John Bright—Concessions to Foreign Railway Corporations Forbidden by Belgium—Meeting of North German Parliament, &c., &c.

Speech of John Bright.

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SECOND EDITION.

4 O'CLOCK, A. M.

FORTIETH CONGRESS.

The Constitutional Amendment.

Conference Report Adopted in House—The Appropriation Bills, &c., &c.

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 25, 1869.

SENATE.

The bill amendatory of the act exempting manufactures of government naval machinery from internal revenue tax was taken up and passed by a vote of thirty-six to twenty-five.

Mr. ANTHONY offered a resolution for the appointment of a committee to report any modification in the joint rules that might be necessary to facilitate the transaction of public business. Adopted.

Mr. CHANDLER, from the Committee on Commerce, [illegible]

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

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STATE NEWS.

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CUBA.

More Troops from Spain Arrived—Progress of the Revolution.

HAVANA, February 25.—A transport arrived from Spain with six hundred chasseurs. The voice of the Cuba newspapers calls attention to the law which makes foreigners who have resided five years in Cuba subjects of Spain, and says they must submit to the conditions or leave the island. An expedition left La Guanaja for Puerto Principe. A determined fight is anticipated on the road. Twelve persons, who landed on the Cuban coast from Rosa Rio, have been taken prisoners. One was a Mexican. Advices from Santiago to the 19th inst., say that cane grinding has commenced on ten out of eighty plantations in that jurisdiction. On the idle plantations there were neither laborers nor cattle to do work. Advices from Manzanillo to the 20th inst. report that the insurgents attacked a convoy at Yara. Accounts of the conflict are so contradictory that it is impossible to obtain the result. The resignation of the American Consul at Trinidad has been accepted. News from Kingston, Jamaica, of the 15th says the Cubans were arriving in Jamaica in large numbers. The Colonial government proposes to introduce Coolies. Work on the old plantations is reviving.

HAVANA, February 25.—Gen. Puello, formerly of the Spanish army in Dominica, left yesterday for Cienfuegos to take command of the regulars in that quarter. The announcement that Gen. Caballero de Rodas is to succeed Gen. Dulce as Captain General produces great excitement here. The steamer Cricket, which is known to have left Charleston for Havana on the 8th inst., has not arrived at this port, and it is presumed she has landed a cargo of supplies for the insurgents somewhere on the Cuban coast.

HAVANA, February 25, Evening.—The insurgents remain in the neighborhood of Cienfuegos. Their main body is around Villa Clara, while a large force occupies Manicaragua. The government is forwarding all available troops to Cienfuegos and other menaced towns. The journals here do not publish the report of Gen. Caballero de Roda's appointment.

A horrible crime has just come to light in Louisville. It appears that a negro girl named Louisa Fields, employed as a nurse in the family of J. C. Mosely, became enraged at a chastisement by Mrs. Mosely, and threatened vengeance. She carried out her threat by giving the little two-year old boy of Mr. Mosely to drink lye, which produced ulceration and closing of the throat, resulting in death. The girl has been arrested and committed.

ADDITIONAL MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Latest Chicago Market.

CHICAGO, February 25, 1869—10 P. M.

At the open Board in the afternoon there was a moderate improvement in the wheat market, but a weaker feeling prevailed, and prices were lower, [illegible]

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Buffalo Market.

BUFFALO, February 25.—Flour dull and unchanged. Wheat nominal. Corn asking 77@77½c for new on track; 80c for old in store with no demand. Oats dull; sales 1,000 bush at 67c bagged. Rye nominal at $1 35. Barley steady; sales 2,000 bushels Canada at $2 10 in store and delivered. Seeds firm with little doing. Pork dull and unchanged. Lard unchanged. Highwines nominal at 94@95c, buyers offer 94c.

New Orleans Market.

NEW ORLEANS, February 25.—Cotton very dull; low middlings 26c; sales 1,400 bales; receipts 2,279 bales. Sugar advanced on higher grades; common 12½@13c; fair 13c; yellow clarified 17½c; molasses active and unchanged; fair 70@75c; prime 78@80c.

Havana Sugar Market.

HAVANA, February 25.—Sugar quiet and steady at 10½@10¾ reals for No. 12.

Nashville Cotton Market.

NASHVILLE, February 25.—Cotton market quiet; low middlings 25c; good ordinary 24c; stock 6,200 bales.

MARRIED:

CAMERON—McCLELLAND—On Thursday evening, February 25th, by the Rev. J. A. Kerr, Mr. ALEX. S. CAMERON, and Miss SALLIE J. McCLELLAND, all of Allegheny city.

DIED:

McDONALD—On Wednesday evening, at 6 o'clock, WILLIAM ALEXANDER McDONALD, in the forty-first year of his age.

The funeral will take place THIS MORNING, at 9 o'clock, from his residence on Apple alley. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

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WANTED.

WANTED—GIRL—GOOD GIRL FOR Housekeeping. Inquire at 904 Penn street. Family small. (awe)

WANTED—SALESMAN—AN EXPERIENCED Salesman for the Carpet Business. Good references required. Apply to O. McCLINTOCK & CO., 23 Fifth avenue.

WANTED—SITUATION—BY A FIRST-Class Miller. Can produce the best of reference. Address P. J., Commercial office.

WANTED—CUSTOMERS—FOR LARGE lot of good segars, in store and for sale by W. M. GORMLY, No. 271 Liberty street.

WANTED—BUYERS—FOR THE BEST lot of Straw Wrapping in the city, cheap. CHRISTY & BENHAM, 73 Water street and 88 and 90 First avenue. eod

WANTED—CITY AND COUNTRY Dealers to call and examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere, at W. M. GORMLY's, 271 Liberty street.

WANTED—HELP—THIS DAY, TO EAT a most capital Dinner, served at BURNS' Saloon, corner Sixth avenue and Smithfield street. Cost only 40 cents. Come in numbers!

WANTED — EMPLOYMENT — GIRLS for City and Country. Several Men and Boys want work. Orders filled on short notice. Apply at Employment Office, No. 1 St. Clair street, first door from Suspension Bridge.

WANTED — CUSTOMERS — TO BUY Wrapping and Roofing Papers of CHRISTY & BENHAM, 73 Water street and 88 and 90 First avenue. eod

WANTED—CANVASSER—FOR MORRELL'S Patent Fire Engine, Deep Well and Force Pump, in Western Pennsylvania, Ohio, and West Virginia. This Pump is acknowledged by mechanics to be the most simple, reliable and desirable Pump now in use. Apply to PHILLIPS & CLULEYS, No. 110 Water street, Pittsburgh, Pa. tf

WANTED—YOUNG MAN—AN INTELLIGENT and enterprising Young Man, of good address, can buy an interest in an established medical specialty, of the highest respectability, where he can learn the profession, and get the pith and experience of fifteen years practice. For further information address Lock Box 25, Allegheny city, Pa.

WANTED—TWO OR THREE GENTLEMEN to join some others in a Stock Company for the manufacturing of Fire Bricks, Building Bricks, Fancy and Ornamental Paving Tiles, Sewer and Land Drain Pipes, Terra Cotta Chimney Pots, Stone Salt Glaze and Roman Ware. The property is situated on the estate of James Freeman, Esq., and close to the Telegraph office and McCoy Station of the Cleveland and Pittsburgh Railway, and abounds with fine Silica Clay, and two beds of Coal to be worked at a low royalty. Further particulars apply to WILLIAM WELLS FORD, or JAMES FREEMAN, Esq., Freeman Landing, Hancock county, W. Va.

WANTED--AGENTS.

WANTED—AGENTS—LIGHT WORK, good pay. Particulars and Sample 10 cents; retails at 30 cents. J. B. GEHR, Shiremantown, Pennsylvania. ws

PERSONAL.

PERSONAL—MESSRS. HARTLEY, McKEE & CO., No. 58 Smithfield street, Manufacture the only Pure Oak-Tanned Leather Belts and Hose made in this city.

PERSONAL—A LADY WHO IS A THOROUGHLY competent housekeeper, is desirous of obtaining a position as such in some respectable family, either in this city or a short distance in the country. Reference exchanged. Address Housekeeper, Commercial office.

PERSONAL—MERCHANTS CAN GET neat attractive and cheap Show Cards, for any business of any size, style or color, at LYON'S Card Emporium, No. 7 Fifth avenue, near Liberty street.

EMPLOYMENT BUREAU.

249. 100 LABORERS FOR RAILROADS, furnished with passes;
Wanted 3 Girls for country to do general housework;
Wanted 1 Girl for country to do washing and ironing;
Wanted 3 Girls for city to do general housework;
Wanted 2 Girls for city to act as Cooks;
1 small Girl to take care of children;
100 Coal Miners;
1 Man and Wife on farm;
1 Farm Hand;
1 Country Blacksmith.
Boy wanted to do office work and drive a horse.

249. FOR SALE—BOOT AND SHOE Store, with Fixtures.
The best positions obtained for Agents;
The best positions obtained for Bookkeepers;
The best positions obtained for Clerks;
The best positions obtained for Mechanics of all Trades.
Applicants by mail, enclose 25 cents.
S. T. MELLER, 249 Penn street.

STONE AND CHINAWARE.

FOR SALE—CHINAWARE—8,500 SETS Stone Teas, Coffees and Plates in store, cheap at BENNETTS & FAWCETT'S, No. 31 Diamond alley. tf

FOR SALE—VASES, SETS—BOHEMIAN Glass Vases, Cologne Sets and Cologne Bottles, at R. B. BREED & CO'S, No. 100 Wood street.

FOR SALE—STONEWARE—20 CRATES assorted Stone and C. C. Ware, in store cheap, at BENNETTS & FAWCETT'S, No. 31 Diamond alley. tf

FOR SALE—VASES, ETC—BEAUTIFUL Parian Vases, Statuettes and Busts, at R. B. BREED & CO'S, 100 Wood street.

FOR SALE — TEAWARE — 300 SETS Stone Teaware, in store, cheap at BENNETTS & FAWCETT'S, No. 31 Diamond alley. tf

FOR SALE—CHINAWARE, ETC—ALL kinds of China, Cut Glass, Stone and Silver-plated Ware at R. B. BREED & CO'S, No. 100 Wood street.

FOR SALE—GLASSWARE—100 BOXES Glassware, Lamps, Chimneys, &c., in store, cheap at BENNETTS & FAWCETT'S, No. 31 Diamond alley.

FOR SALE—SMOKING SETS—LAVA Smoking Sets and Spittoons, at R. B. BREED & CO'S, No. 100 Wood street.

FOR SALE—STONEWARE—TEA, DINNER and Toilet Sets, at R. B. BREED & CO'S, No. 100 Wood street.

BOARDING.

BOARDING—FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED Front Rooms, with or without Board, can be had at 43 Anderson street, Allegheny.

FOUND.

FOUND—KEYS—ON TUESDAY MORNING, on Smithfield street, a Bunch of Keys, one of which was a Safe Key. The owner can have the same by calling at this office and paying for this advertisement.

TOBACCO AND SEGARS.

FOR SALE—SEGARS—100,000 GOOD and Common segars, in store and for sale by W. M. GORMLY, No. 271 Liberty street.

FOR SALE—TOBACCO—300 CADDIES, all grades of Richmond Tobacco, in store and for sale by W. M. GORMLY, No. 271 Liberty st.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

FOR SALE—RARE CHANCE—$9,000, one-half cash, balance in five annual payments, will purchase that new pressed brick Dwelling, No. 54 Colwell street. Lot 24x90: Slate Roof, 10 Rooms, Marble Mantels, Gas Fixtures complete; Hot and Cold Water, Bath Room, large Cellar and Wash-house. House one year old, erected at a cost of $12,500. Inquire of W. H. WAGSTAFF, No. 89 Wood street.

FOR SALE—EATING HOUSE AND SALOON—Center of city, doing a good business. Address Saloon, Box 568, Youngstown, Ohio.

FOR SALE—BOOK-BINDERY—FITTED up ready for work, in a good location. Can be bought at a very low price. Address Bindery, at this office.

FOR SALE—STOCK AND FIXTURES—The Stock and Fixtures of a first-class Family Grocery Store. The undersigned wishing to engage in another business, offers the Fixtures and Stock at a bargain. G. W. PUSEY, 49 Federal street, Allegheny city. tf

FOR SALE—BUSINESS—A RARE OPPORTUNITY for a pleasant and lucrative business. Inquire of S. D. JONES, No. 26 Third avenue between the hours of 6 and 9 P. M.

FOR SALE—LEASE AND FIXTURES—The Lease and Fixtures of the Opera House Auction Rooms, No. 60 Fifth avenue, with or without the Stock. Inquire of W. E. SCHMERTZ, Bank Block, Fifth avenue.

FOR SALE—TRIMMING ESTABLISHMENT—A Tailor's Trimming Establishment Has an established trade, and doing a good business. A rare chance for a man with a small capital to engage in a paying business. Apply to 211 Liberty st

FOR SALE—BUSINESS PROPERTY—Is now offered at private sale, that desirable Lot of Ground, No. 163 Smithfield street. This property is well located for business. Parties on the lookout for a good stand will do well to call on BAILEY, FARRELL & CO., No. 167 Smithfield street. tf

FOR SALE—MACHINE SHOP AND FOUNDRY—I offer for sale that fine Machine Shop and Foundry on Penn street, below Marbury, with all the Machinery, Flasks, Patterns and Tools. This property is well worth examination by Machinists and Foundrymen. JOHN DUNLAP, Second and Market streets. tf

FOR SALE — BREWERY AND FIXTURES—And three and one-fourth Acres of Ground, about one-half mile from the city of Parkersburg in Wood county, West Virginia. To be sold at the front door of the Court House of Wood county, on the 8th day of March, 1869; a capital chance for any person wishing an Ale Brewery. Terms easy. For further particulars apply to SANDS & WILSON, Attorneys at Law, Parkersburg, W. Va.

FOR SALE—REFINERY—A FIRST-CLASS Refinery in complete running order, nearly new. Has been in operation but a few months. Situated on the line of the A. V. R. R., beyond the present city limits. Capacity 500 barrels per week. Can be doubled with no extra expense with the exception of an additional Still. Apply at 22 and 24 Market street. tf

FOR SALE—WAREHOUSE—THE large, substantial, fire proof, three story, double, Brick Warehouse, Nos. 112 and 114 Second avenue, between Wood and Smithfield streets, now occupied by the firm of Little & Baird as a Wholesale Grocery, is offered for sale. The Buildings are 48 feet front by 80 feet deep, with Cellars under the whole. Gas in Cellars and First Story; two Hoisting Tackles, in good order; large size Stationary Scales in each building. Persons wishing to invest in Real Estate will find this one of the most desirable business locations in the city. For terms and further particulars inquire of MARY LITTLE, SAMUEL H. BAIRD, JOHN H. STEWART, THOS. LITTLE, Jr., Executors of the estate of Thos. Little, Sr., deceased. tf

MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—ARTIFICIAL FLOWERS—A fine assortment at a bargain. Opera House Auction Room, Fifth avenue.

FOR SALE—CASTOR OIL—35 BBLS. for sale by B. A. FAHNESTOCK'S SON & CO., corner Wood and First avenue.

FOR SALE—CHEAP—A LOT OF ARTIFICIAL Flowers, at the Opera House Auction Room, Fifth avenue.

FOR SALE—BRANDIES—IMPORTED Brandies, for medicinal purposes, at C. ABEL & CO.'S, corner Washington and Wylie streets.

FOR SALE—HAY—NO. 1 TIMOTHY Hay for sale at 405 Liberty street, opposite Union Depot, by bale or in quantity.

FOR SALE — STRAW WRAPPING — Cheap and good. CHRISTY & BENHAM, 73 Water street and 88 and 90 First avenue. eod

FOR SALE—PUMICE STONE—5 BBLS. powdered for sale by B. A. FAHNESTOCK'S SON & CO., corner Wood and First avenue.

FOR SALE—SOAP—BROWN WINDSOR, Elder Flower, Honey and Glycerine Soaps, at C. ABEL & CO.'S, corner Washington and Wylie sts.

FOR SALE — WRAPPING PAPER — Large stock and great variety. CHRISTY & BENHAM, 73 Water street and 88 and 90 First avenue. eod

FOR SALE—BRUSHES—AN ELEGANT assortment of English and French Hair, Tooth and Nail Brushes, at C. ABEL & CO.'S, corner Washington and Wylie streets.

FOR SALE—HEATER—ONE OF THE celebrated Nicholson Heaters, with a No. 3 Injector; has been used but a short time. Apply to WM. B. SCAIFE, 119 and 121 First avenue.

FOR SALE—WINES—PORT, MADEIRA, Sherry, Catawba and Claret Wines, for medicinal purposes, at C. ABEL & CO'S, corner Washington and Wylie streets.

FOR SALE—BOILER—ONE DOUBLE Flue Boiler, 16 feet long, 36 inches in diameter. Inquire at the Tannery of W. FLACCUS & SON, Butler street, near Thirty-sixth street, Pittsburgh, Pa. tf

FOR SALE—PERFUMERY, ETC.—IMPORTED Perfumeries, Pomades, Soaps and Toilet Articles, at C. ABEL & CO.'S, corner Washington and Wylie streets.

FOR SALE—HATS—A LARGE INVOICE of Hats, Spring Styles, just received at R. H. PALMER'S, No. 84 Wood street.

FOR SALE — RIBBONS— BEAUTIFUL Ribbons of every variety, just received at R. H. PALMER'S, No. 84 Wood street.

FOR SALE — MILLINERY GOODS—A full line of Millinery Goods, in the latest styles, at R. H. PALMER'S, No. 84 Wood street.

FOR SALE—CAPS—A LARGE STOCK of Caps for the Spring Trade, at R. H. PALMER'S, No. 84 Wood street.

FOR SALE — SEWING MACHINE — A Grover & Baker Sewing Machine. Will be sold cheap for cash. Address W., Box 2, Commercial office.

FOR SALE — RAISINS — 100 BOXES Clemens & Son's Layers, for sale cheap at W. M. GORMLY'S, 271 Liberty street.

FOR SALE—ENGINE—ONE STEAM Engine, 3½ feet stroke, 12-inch cylinder, 2 Flue Boilers, 20 feet by 38 inches, all in good running order. For further information inquire of McINTOSH, HEMPHILL & CO., THOMPSON DOUGLAS, or at the East Liberty Steam Flouring Mills.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—ROOM—A ROOM ON SECOND Floor, suitable for Gentleman's Sleeping Room. Inquire at No. 55 Chatham street.

FOR RENT—DWELLING—A FIRST-CLASS three-story Dwelling, No. 3 Penna. ave. D. C. KING, 70 Second avenue. mthtf

FOR RENT—OFFICE—FROM APRIL 1st, the Office, No. 114 Fourth avenue, occupied at present by Messrs. Swearingen & McCandless. Inquire of HENRY A. WEAVER, 106 Fourth ave.

FOR RENT—STORE—A FIRST-CLASS Store, situated on Federal street, Allegheny, an excellent stand for a Dry Goods or Grocery Business. Entry can be had at once. Apply to J. W. DRAPE, 12 Wood street, Pittsburgh.

FOR RENT—STOREROOMS — THREE fine Storerooms, each 16x50 feet, on South Canal street, between East Lane and Chestnut street, Allegheny, formerly occupied by A. Miller, as a feed and produce store. Good location for almost any kind of business. Will rent separately or together. Possession immediately. Apply to J. M. MURTLAND, No. 1 Sixth street, late St. Clair. FSTU

FOR RENT—ROOMS—ON THE SECOND and third stories of the Stone Front Building, No. 87 Wood street, now being erected by the M & M Insurance Company, suitable for Stores for light Goods or Offices. Possession about 1st of May. Apply to either of the undersigned. WM. WALKER, No. 41 Wood street; ROBT. JAMESON, No. 103 Wood street; W. P. JONES, Secretary, No. 87 Water street.

FOR RENT— WAREHOUSE — NO. 93 Water street. Inquire of T. A. EVANS & CO., on the premises.

FOR RENT—HOUSE—OF NINE ROOMS, with Gas and Water, within ten minutes walk of Postoffice. Rent $500 per annum. Inquire at 115 Water street.

FOR RENT—HOUSES—ONE LARGE Double Brick Dwelling, containing 9 Rooms and Finished Attics. Also, one Frame House of 6 Rooms, in Minersville. Apply at 271 Liberty st.

FOR RENT—WAREHOUSE—THE IRON front Warehouse, No. 55 Market street, for rent. Inquire of N. HOLMES & SONS next door, or of JOHN WAY, Jr., Sewickleyville, Pa.

FOR RENT—SECOND STORY—THE Second Story of McCallum Block, now occupied by Grover & Baker S. M. Co. Inquire on premises. tf

FOR RENT—THIRD STORY—OF M'CALLUM Block, 51½ Fifth avenue, with use of Elevator. Inquire in the Carpet Store.

FOR RENT—WAREHOUSE—THAT NEW Iron Front Four Story Warehouse, No. 85 Liberty street, corner of Fourth. Immediate possession given. Apply on premises to WILLIS BOOTHE. tf

FOR RENT—HANDSOME OFFICES—No. 254 Penn street, recently fitted up anew, desirable and advantageous for Physicians' Offices. Apply at the Steam Dental Laboratory. Dr. G. W. SPENCER.

FOR RENT—ROOMS—SECOND AND Third Floors of No. 102 Wood street, commodious and well lighted, suitable for Wholesale Rooms or Offices, &c., on very reasonable terms. Apply at HOFFMAN, HOENE & CO.'S, No. 53 Fifth avenue. WFM

FOR RENT—PHOTOGRAPH GALLERY—From April 1st, 1869, the Photograph Gallery, 12 St. Clair street, together with Reception Room, &c., at present occupied by P. A. Stout. Also, other Rooms in second and third floor of same block. Apply to BISSELL & CO., 235 Liberty street.

FOR RENT — DWELLING — A GOOD two-story Brick Dwelling, No. 22 Beaver avenue, Allegheny, containing seven (7) Rooms and wide Hall, Gas and Water. Rent to a good tenant very low. Inquire of F. A. DOHRMAN, No. 113 First avenue, Pittsburgh, or to Alderman BULFORD, No. 89 Rebecca street, Allegheny city. MWF-2156

FOR RENT — ROOMS — ONE STOREROOM, FOUR BASEMENTS, well lighted and finished; Offices in the second story; SLEEPING ROOMS in the third story, and ONE LARGE HALL, with two Ante-Rooms, in the fourth story of A. H. English & Co.'s New Building, Fourth avenue. Apply to A. H. ENGLISH & CO., No. 29 Fifth avenue.

FOR RENT — RESIDENCE — THAT handsome new two-story Brick Residence, No. 97 Center avenue, (now occupied by H. W. Oliver, Jr.) containing 10 Rooms, besides Bath Room, Wash House, &c. Gas, hot and cold water throughout. Built and finished in the best manner. Inquire of M. K. MOORHEAD, Center avenue. tf

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—ROOM WITH POWER—Inquire at Great Western Planing Mill and Box Factory, cor. Third st. and Duquesne Way. J. HEATH.

FOR RENT—COUNTRY RESIDENCE—On the Perrysville Plankroad, one mile from Allegheny City. Double brick house with 11 rooms and basement; wash-house. About 4 acres of orchard and garden, shrubbery, &c. Stabling and out-buildings. Possession first of April. Inquire of W. B. PUSEY, No. 44 Union avenue, Allegheny.

FOR RENT—UNION BREWERY—A small Ale Brewery, in complete running order, with Engine, Mill, Copper, &c., situate on Pennsylvania avenue, near Soho. Will be leased to an acceptable tenant for a term of years, or would sell the Fixtures out of it. Inquire of C. MEYRAN, No. 42 Fifth avenue. tf

FOR RENT—OFFICES—ON FIFTH AVENUE. A Suit of Rooms, connected together, handsomely fitted up for Offices, with all modern improvements, and partly furnished, on third floor, over our Jewelry Store, No. 42 Fifth avenue. Inquire of REINEMAN, MEYRAN & SIEDLE. tf

FOR RENT—STOREROOM AND DWELLING—Store and Dwelling attached of 7 Rooms, No. 39 Ohio street, eight doors west of the Diamond, Allegheny. Rent $700. Inquire of S. M. ORR, No. 37 Ohio street, Allegheny.

FOR RENT—COUNTRY RESIDENCE—A two-story Brick House, of 8 Rooms, with four Acres of Ground, Stable, Fruit Trees, &c., near East Liberty. Inquire of CATHARINE McFARLAND, on the premises, or of WHITE & SLAGLE, 106 Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh. tf

FOR RENT—ROOMS—THREE LARGE Rooms, upper story of the three adjoining Warehouses, corner Fourth and Liberty streets. Entrance off Fourth. These Rooms are well located for school purposes. Apply on premises, No. 85, or by letter to WILLIS BOOTHE.

GROCERIES.

FOR SALE—CIDER VINEGAR—255 barrels of Pure Cider Vinegar, in store and for sale by JAS. CONNOR, 355 Liberty street.

FOR SALE — CATAWBA VINEGAR — 35 barrels of Pure Catawba Wine Vinegar, in store and for sale by JAS. CONNOR, 355 Liberty st.

FOR SALE — FLOUR — CELEBRATED White Rose, very choice, by MEANOR & HARPER, 329 Liberty street.

FOR SALE—SYRUPS—100 BARRELS assorted grades, in store and for sale by W. M. GORMLY, 271 Liberty street.

FOR SALE — FLOUR — CELEBRATED White Rose, very choice, by MEANOR & HARPER, 329 Liberty street.

FOR SALE—SUGAR AND MOLASSES—Large lot of New Orleans Sugar and Molasses, in store and to arrive, for sale low by W. M. GORMLY, No. 271 Liberty street.

FOR SALE—TEAS—200 HALF CHESTS New Teas, just received and for sale low by W. M. GORMLY, 271 Liberty street.

FOR SALE— FISH —800 PACKAGES Lake Fish, 200 assorted Mackerel, for sale cheap by W. M. GORMLY, 271 Liberty street.

FOR SALE—PICKLES—100 BARRELS and halfs fine Vinegar Pickles, for sale low by W. M. GORMLY, 271 Liberty street.

FOR SALE--HOUSES.

FOR SALE—DWELLING—DESIRABLE three story Brick Dwelling, on Fourth avenue. Possession April 1st. JOHN D. BAILEY & BRO., No. 115 Fourth Avenue.

FOR SALE—DWELLING—DESIRABLE three-story Brick Dwelling, No. 176 River avenue, Allegheny city, near Mechanic street Bridge. Possession April 1st. JOHN D. BAILEY & BRO., No. 115 Fourth avenue

FOR SALE—DWELLING—DESIRABLE double three-story Brick Dwelling, No. 25 Isabella street, Allegheny city. JOHN D. BAILEY & BRO., No. 115 Fourth avenue.

FOR SALE—HOUSE—A DOUBLE TWO-STORY Brick Dwelling House, containing eleven Rooms, situated corner Cedar avenue and Washington street, Allegheny city. The Lot is 50 by 142 feet. Further information inquire of GEO. METZGAR, 249 Liberty street, Pittsburgh.

FOR SALE — DWELLING HOUSE— $9 000 on easy terms for an elegant new country residence of ten rooms, two stories; one acre of ground, good orchard, and strong spring of soft water at Hulton, A. V. RR., within five miles of city limits. More ground if desired. Apply to J. HULTON, on the premises. tf

FOR SALE—DESIRABLE RESIDENCE—A modern built House, containing 8 Rooms, and Wash-house, with Stable, on a Lot of 1½ Acres of Ground, situated at foot of Craft avenue, Oakland. For particulars inquire of H. CRAIG, No. 152 First avenue.

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NOTICE.

In the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny county, No. 861. March Term, 1869.

"The Rector, Church Wardens and Vestrymen of Christ Church, Allegheny," have this day made application for amendment to its Charter.

JACOB H. WALTER,
Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas.

February 13, 1869.

The Daily Commercial.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1869.

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SOCIAL SCIENCE.

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THREE THINGS.

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PROTECT THE PUBLIC.

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UNDEVELOPED COAL FIELDS.

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Dr. Franklin on Death and Future Life.

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BENJ. FRANKLIN.

Philadelphia, Feb. 23, 1756.

State Temperance Convention.

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The New York Election Frauds.

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PROTECTION AND REVENUE, PUBLIC AND PRIVATE.

Review of the Report of Hon. D. A. Wells.

Letter Ninth.

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Yours, respectfully,
HENRY C. CAREY.

HON. D. A. WELLS.
Philadelphia, February 11, 1869.

IMPORTANT RAILWAY PROJECTS.

A Double Track Freight Railway Between Lake Erie and Tidewater—The Allegheny Valley Road and Its Eastward Extension.

AKRON, OHIO, February, 21, 1869.

To the Editor of the Pittsburgh Commercial:

I recognize in you a friend to all public improvements, whether it be for the promotion of the interests of your own city of Pittsburgh, of the great Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, or our nation at large. This being the fact, I take the liberty, through the medium of your valuable paper, to call your attention, and that of the capitalists of our country, to a matter which should perhaps most deeply interest the citizens of the cities of Pittsburgh, Cleveland and Baltimore. But while these particular cities may and should feel an abiding interest in the project which I am about to make known, no less should the citizens of every town and city along the shores of our great lakes feel interested. In short, it is a project worthy the attention of every lover of public improvements, to wit: For the construction of "a great double track freight railway to connect Lake Erie with tidewater."

The plan which presents itself to my mind is, to build a double track road, to be used upon an "elevator," or, "endless chain movement principle," *i. e.*, all trains to be run upon a slow schedule time, say at from eight to twelve miles per hour, and at the same rate of speed going east as well as going west, making as it were an unbroken circuit of heavily laden freight trains, carrying freights at the *lowest possible rates*, and if passengers desire to travel at this slow movement, charge at rates proportionately low with freights. Under our present system, or management of railroads, the running of long and heavily laden freight trains at a speed necessary to reach certain passing points, to allow passenger trains, that dash along at lightning speed, to make their schedule time, not only makes travel dangerous, but the wear upon the track and the rolling stock tells fearfully upon the finances of the railroad companies as well as upon the pockets of consignees, because they must charge a high tariff of rates to make the transportation of freights at such rapid transit profitable. *The country demands cheap transportation of its products, which can be done only on slow schedule time.* Make this a grand trunk line for cheap transportation of heavy freights between the Lakes and the Atlantic. Do this and it would not be long till branches or feeders from every valley along its route converging to it would be built.

Having told you of the plan or project, I will now say something of what seems to me to be the shortest and most practical route upon which to construct said road. [illegible]

A LOVER OF IMPROVEMENTS.

LOCK HAVEN, February 15, 1869.

To the Editor of the Pittsburgh Commercial:

Your "well informed" correspondent X probably knows that the Allegheny Valley Railroad line was surveyed and established many years since, via the Allegheny river to the mouth of Mahoning; up the valley of the latter a few miles, and passing by a tunnel to the valley of the Redbank; up that valley to Brookville, and continuing northwestwardly up the valley of the North Fork, &c., to the New York State line, Buffalo being its intended terminal point. The distance yet to be built by that Company to reach Brookville, the point at which the Winslow Colliery Company's survey connects with it, as also the probable cost of completing the road to that point, is not known to the writer, but is, no doubt, obtainable at the office of the engineer of that Company at Pittsburgh. There is here no "point of divergence," no "Eastern terminus." For any further information your correspondent is referred to the third annual report of the Chief Engineer of the Winslow Colliery Railroad, published in March, 1867, and to be found, no doubt, in the railroad offices at Pittsburgh. The writer is in perfect agreement with your correspondent, in that "unfortunately very few of your capitalists and business men take any interest" in a matter so vitally important to them. Possibly it is not yet too late, by a vigorous effort, to secure your city against the arbitrary exactions of an imperious, irresponsible and grasping railroad monopoly. The writer is not disposed to dictate, and forbears to amplify.

R. W.

THERE are 79,000 voters in the city of Madrid of whom 54,157 voted at the election for members of the Constituent Cortes, a very good number. The highest vote for a government candidate is that given for Rivero, who had 34,270 votes; and the lowest, for Sagasta, is 29,430. The highest given for a republican candidate is 14,309, for Figueras; and the lowest, for Garrida, is 13,730. In Barcelona the republicans had a majority of 3,000 over the regular monarchists which is not very large; but they went ahead of the reactionary clerical party to the extent of more than 15,000, which was doing nobly. Espartero was a candidate in Barcelona, and was beaten. The elections, as a rule, were conducted in an orderly manner, the returns of killed and wounded being astonishingly small considering. In one town the mob did hang the mayor, but that, as Mr Quilp said of the dog's killing the child, was only in play. The public must have some diversion. It is asserted that the republican members elected to the Cortes are more numerous than at first reported, and that they will be able to force the monarchists, if there must be a King chosen, to confer the crown on Espartero; and they prefer Espartero for King because he is old, and soon must die, when there would be another chance for setting up a republican polity. All the enemies of the provisional government—republicans, Isabellans, and Carlists—will, in the Cortes, unite to attempt it, but they would fight like married folks when they through unite to gain a victory. It is in Spain as it is in France, where the only bond of union with anti-Bonapartists is a common hatred of the Emperor and the Empire, and an uncommonly strong bond of union that is strong enough to strangle old Nap, and could it be made to take the shape of a cord, and could that cord be got round the imperial throat.

OF Tennyson, late reports do not speak in the flattering vein once so fashionable. A recent letter says of him: "He lives a life of lazy seclusion, versifying a little, dreaming and smoking a great deal, and seeming to have no more interest in the world of living men than if he did not belong to it. When he has chosen to make himself felt it has rarely been in a way to cause other than regretful feelings among his admirers. He had only scornful words to throw at John Bright; he is reported to have been a 'Southern sympathiser' during our late war, and eulogized Governor Eyre, the cruel tyrant of Jamaica. So far as political affairs are concerned, he seems to have combined a sort of wrong-headed ignorance with his dreamy laziness." The great poet is anything but a great man.

The Koh-i-noor Diamond.

[From all the Year Round.]

The Koh-i-noor has hitherto been a fatal jewel. May its recent recutting have broken the spell! Its history is well authenticated at every step. This stone of fate seems never to have been lost sight of from the days when Ala-ud-deen took it from the Rajahs of Malwa, five centuries and a half ago, to the day when it became a crown jewel of England. Tradition carries back its existence in the memory of India to the year 57 B. C., and a still wilder legend would fain recognize in it a diamond first discovered near Masulipatam, in the bed of the Godavery, five thousand years ago.

The Koh-i-noor is reported by Baber, the founder of the Mogul Empire, to have come into the Delhi treasury from the conquest of Malwa, in 1304. The Hindoos trace the curses and the ultimate ruin inevitably brought upon its successive possessors by the genius of this fateful jewel ever since it was wrested from the line of Vikramaditya.

If we glance over its history since 1304, its malevolent influence far excels that of the necklace for which Eriphyle betrayed her husband, or the Equus Seianus of Greek and Roman tradition. First falls the vigorous Patan, then the mighty Mogul Empire, and, with vastly accelerated ruin, the power of Nadir, of the Dooranee dynasty, and of the Sikh.

Runjeet Singh, when it was in his possession, was convinced of the truth of this belief, that being satisfied with the enjoyment of it during his own lifetime, he sought to break through the ordinance of fate and the consequent destruction of his family by bequeathing the stone to the shrine of Juggernaut, for the good of his soul and the perservation of his dynasty. His successor would not give up the baleful treasure, and the last Maharajah is now a private gentleman.

In 1850, in the name of the East India Company (since, in its turn, defunct,) Lord Dalhousie presented the Koh-i-noor to Queen Victoria.

Perhaps we should have been better without it. The Brahmins will hardly relinquish their faith in the malignant powers possessed by this stone, when they think of the speedily following Russian war, which annihilated the prestige of the British army, and the Sepoy mutiny three years later, which caused England's existence as a nation to hang for months on the forbearance of one man.

The public saw the Koh-i-noor lusterless at the exhibition of 1851, then weighing one hundred and eighty-six carats. Its recutting, performed in 1852, though executed with the utmost skill and perfection, has deprived the stone of all its historical and mineralogical interest. As a specimen of a gigantic diamond, whose native weight and form had been interfered with as little as possible (for with Hindoo lapidaries the grand object is the preservation of weight,) it stood without a rival, save the Orloff, in Europe.

As it is, in the place of the most ancient gem in the history of the world—older even than the Tables of the Law and the Breastplate of Aaron, supposing them still to exist—we get, according to Mr. King, a bad shaped, because too shallow, modern brilliant, a mere lady's bauble, but of second rate water, for it has a grayish tinge, and, besides inferior in weight to several, being now reduced to one hundred and two carats and a half.

The operation of recutting was performed in London under the care of the Messrs. Garrards, the Queen's jewelers, who erected for that purpose a small four-horse steam engine on the premises. It was conducted by Voorsanger and another skillful workman sent over by M. Coster from Amsterdam.

A Romance of the Cuban Rebellion.

An American citizen who was in the Theater of Villanueva on the evening of the 22d ult., and witnessed the riot and massacre in the streets of Havana that evening, says that the origin of the outburst was the shooting of a young woman. He says:

"A very beautiful girl, the daughter of Aldama, one of the wealthiest and most noble of all Cubans, wore upon her left breast the American flag, with the inscription, 'Long live the Republic of Cuba,' upon it. When the stirring song was being sung, the whole audience rose and cheered this young woman, and as she rose to acknowledge the salute—all eyes were now bent upon her—a low mean, cowardly Spaniard shot her with a revolver, killing her instantly. Two American gentlemen occupied the box adjoining Senorita Aldama, whose names I do not know, but one of whom, seeing the pistol pointed at the young lady's breast, drew his revolver, and a second after the Spaniard had fired blew the top off the head of the cowardly assassin. Instantly the whole theater was the scene of the greatest confusion, and the Spanish troops rushed in and began firing upon the masses of the huddled, unarmed, innocent men and women."

ENGLISH ROYAL FOUNDLINGS.—The Duke of Cambridge, cousin of the queen and commander-in-chief of the British army, formed a morganatic marriage many years ago, and has a large family of sons and daughters. His wife, unknown of course in society, is a woman not only of rare accomplishments, but of real worth. When the duke went mad after the battle of Inkermann, she followed him to the Crimea, brought him home, and nursed him with all a woman's devotion through his long and dangerous illness. It is well known in the London clubs that the present heir-apparent to the throne and his more sprightly brother, the Duke of Edinburg, have not been slow to avail themselves of the excuses afforded by the Royal Marriage Act for following the examples set by their predecessors. It can be scarcely called ungenerous, therefore, or far-fetched, to recognize in the foundlings affinity as well to the privileged as to the middle and lower classes of England.—*Lippincott's Magazine.*

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WALTHAM
WATCHES.

The extensive use of these Watches for the last fifteen years by Railway Conductors, Engineers, and Expressmen, the most exacting of watch wearers, has thoroughly demonstrated the strength, steadiness, durability and accuracy of the Waltham Watch. To satisfy that class in all these respects, is to decide the question as to the real value of these time-keepers.

The superior organization and great extent of the Company's Works at Waltham, enable them to produce watches combining the best and latest improvements, and at a price which renders competition futile, and those who buy any other watch merely pay from 25 to 50 per cent. more for their watches than is necessary.

For sale by all Dealers.

No watches retailed by the Company.

ROBBINS & APPLETON, Gen'l Agents,
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Refineries and Steamboats promptly fitted up.

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We are prepared to furnish this Iron, cut to desired length, in large or small quantities, on short notice.

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Of several designs, and adapted to various Manufactories and Buildings where a FIRE PROOF ROOF is desired.

WE WOULD CALL THE ATTENTION OF
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RANGE BATH BOILERS,
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About February 1st we will have ready for sale our NEW WROUGHT IRON HEAD BOILERS. (Patent Pending.) They are superior to any heretofore made. The Heads will admit of considerable expansion without cracking, enough, we believe to prevent their breaking out when the water freezes. This will save great expense and annoyance.

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Manufacturer and Importer,
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The Greatest Novelty in the World.

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D. WALLACE, 366 Liberty street.

NOTICES.

NOTICE.—AT A MEETING OF THE STONEMASONS OF PITTSBURGH AND ALLEGHENY, it has been resolved to demand EIGHT HOURS PER DAY, on and after March 1st, 1869.
BY ORDER OF SOCIETY.

OFFICE MONONGAHELA BRIDGE COMPANY, Pittsburgh, January 30, 1869.
AN ELECTION FOR THIRTEEN MANAGERS of the Company for erecting a bridge over the Monongahela river, opposite Pittsburgh, in the county of Allegheny, will be held at the Toll House, on MONDAY, the 1st day of March next, at 2 o'clock P. M.
JAS. H. WRIGHT, Treasurer.

STOCKHOLDERS' ANNUAL MEETING.—The Regular Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Fort Pitt Coal Company will be held at the office of A. H. English & Co., 29 Fifth avenue, on TUESDAY, the 16th day of March, 1869, between the hours of 2 and 4 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing Nine Directors, a Treasurer and a Clerk to serve during the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may be presented.
S. McCRICKART, President.
J. MONTGOMERY, Clerk.

NOTICE.—THE ANNUAL Election of Directors of the MANSFIELD COAL AND LIME CO., to serve during the ensuing year, will be held at the Office of the Farmers' Deposit National Bank, between the hours of 1 and 3 P. M., SATURDAY, March 6th. By order
JAMES MARSHALL, President.
D. REISINGER, Superintendent.

OFFICE OF THE ALLEGHENY VALLEY R. R. CO., Pittsburgh, January 25, 1869.
STOCKHOLDERS' ANNUAL MEETING.—The Regular Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD CO., will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 26 Pike street, on TUESDAY, the 23d day of February, 1869, for the purpose of electing a Board of Managers for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may be presented.
J. BALLANTINE, Secretary.

TRIUMPH OIL COMPANY.

NOTICE.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the TRIUMPH OIL COMPANY, will be held at their Office, No. 19 SEVENTH (late Irwin) STREET, on

Monday, March 1st, 1869, at 3 P. M.,

For the purpose of electing Officers for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before them.
WILLIAM MUSSLER,
SECRETARY.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

J. H. BORLAND'S
TWELFTH ANNUAL
CLOSING OUT SALE,
OF FALL AND WINTER
Boots, Shoes, Gaiters,
BALMORALS AND GUMS,
Regardless of Cost,

To make room for a large Stock of SPRING GOODS. Now is the chance for Country and City Dealers to replenish their Stock, as they can buy cheaper than Eastern prices.

ALSO, AGENT FOR
Bartlett's Blacking, Frank Miller's Leather Preservative and Water-Proof Soles.
GIVE ME A CALL, AT
NOS. 53 AND 55 WOOD STREET.
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CARPETS.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT.

To meet the general desire of those who have been deterred from purchasing until after the first of the year, we have concluded to continue our

Great Reduction Sale

FOR A FEW WEEKS LONGER. This is positively the last opportunity to secure rare bargains in

CARPETS,
Oil Cloths, Mattings, &c.
Good Carpets for 25 Cents a Yard.
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McFARLAND & COLLINS
WILL CONTINUE THEIR
ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE,
TWO WEEKS LONGER.
GREATER BARGAINS THAN EVER
Will be offered to Close Out Special Lines of Goods at
71 AND 73 FIFTH AVE.,
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REYMER & BROTHERS,
HAVE IN STORE AND TO ARRIVE
500 boxes Prime Messina Oranges;
100 boxes Prime Messina Lemons;
500 boxes New Layer Raisins;
50 boxes Crown and Imperial Raisins;
100 boxes Morand Valencia Raisins;
50 mats Seedless Raisins;
25 bags Naple Walnuts;
10 bales Bordeaux Almonds;
50 bags Inca Almonds;
50 bags Cream Nuts;
25 bags Filberts;
300 bags Peanuts.
FOR SALE AT
LOWEST MARKET PRICE.
NOS. 126, 128 AND 130 WOOD ST.

JUST RECEIVED,
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100 boxes New Layer Raisins;
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25 boxes Sultana Raisins;
25 kegs Seedless Raisins;
10 boxes Dehesa Raisins;
10 boxes loose Muscatel Raisins;
10 casks London Layer Raisins;
10 casks New Currants;
2 casks Turkish Prunes;
1 case Malta Dates;
100 boxes Yarmouth Bloater Herring.
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A Delightful Nutritious Beverage.
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FOR SALE—5 CARS PRIME CANADA BARLEY. To arrive, 1 car prime YELLOW CORN; 4 cars RED WINTER WHEAT, in store, for sale by HITCHCOCK, McCREERY & CO., 349 Liberty street.

TRIMMINGS AND NOTIONS.

THE GREAT
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WE ARE JUST RECEIVING A FINE LOT OF
STRIPED SHIRTS,
WITH COLLARS TO MATCH.
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No trouble to Show Goods.

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Worth of Goods
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Ribbons, Straw Goods and Flowers,
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HAVING BEEN PURCHASED BY
Macrum & Carlisle,
They will open it up to the public on
THURSDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 11,
With the most Extraordinary Bargains ever offered in this Line of Goods,
FOR CASH ONLY.
THIS CLOSING OUT SALE will continue for ONLY THREE WEEKS, and purchasers would do well to call early, when the stock is complete.
SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS to Merchants and Dealers who will BUY JOB LOTS.
$15,000, $15,000, $15,000,
SELLING AT A SACRIFICE, AT
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BLACK SILKS,
OF SUPERIOR QUALITY,
JUST OPENED AND FOR SALE BY
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25 FIFTH AVENUE.

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NEW GOODS
JUST OPENED
White Goods, Embroideries,
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Infant's Robes,
Dotted and Plain Nets,
Chemizettes,
Real Val. Collars and Handkerchiefs,
Handkerchiefs, in Great Variet
Coiffures—new styles,
Dimity Bands, Crapes.
A splendid line of Satin Stripe, Go
ored Satin and Roman Ribbons.
Also, Striped Bows.
A FINE LINE OF
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POINTE COLLARS.
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Berege and Donna Maria Grape Veils
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A FULL ASSORTMENT OF
Corsets and French Goods,
Hosiery and Gloves,
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ALSO,
BONNETS AND HAT
SPRING STYLES.
RIBBONS, NOTIONS
New Goods Daily.

CITY ADVERTISEMENTS

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE, Pittsburgh, February 11, 1869.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO A owners of
DRAYS, CARTS, CARRIAGES, BU GIES, &c.,
(Whether resident or non-resident,) in the Cit Pittsburgh, to pay their Licenses at this office fo WITH, in accordance with an act of Assembly, proved March 30, 1860, and an Ordinance of Councils of the City of Pittsburgh, passed April 1860.

All Licenses not paid on or before MAY 15, 18 will be placed in the hands of a Police Officer for lection, subject to a collection fee of 50 cents, and persons who neglect or refuse to take out Lice will be subject to a penalty double the amount of License, to be recovered before the Mayor.

The old metal plates of last year must be retur at the time Licenses are taken out, or 25 cents a tional will be charged on each License.

RATES OF LICENSE.

Each One Horse Vehicle	$ 7
Each Two Horse Vehicle	12
Each Four Horse Vehicle	15
Each Two Horse Hack	15

Omnibus and Timber Wheels drawn by two hor $18 00 each. One Dollar extra will be charged each additional Horse used in any of the above hicles.

A. J. COCHRAN,
City Treasure

PROPOSALS.

TO BRIDGE BUILDERS.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received by the dersigned until THURSDAY NOON, APRIL 1 1869, to be opened on the 16th, at 1 o'clock for building a Wire Suspension Bridge across Ch River, at Albrightsville, Preston county, West The plan and specifications may be seen at Albrig ville, in the possession of Col. WM. H. KING. contract to be awarded to the lowest respon bidder—the Commissioners reserving the right to ject all bids. Persons visiting the site will stop of Portland, Baltimore and Ohio Railroad. Addres HEERMANS, Secretary of Board Commissio Kingwood, W. Va.

WM. H. KING,
J. C. McGREW,
R. MORRIS,
W. B. CRANE,
F. HEERMANS,
Commissione

PROPOSALS FOR PLASTERING.

Proposals will be received for Plastering the A gheny County Work-house. Specifications of w and materials to be seen at the office of Messrs. & Moser, Architects, Sixth street, where Propo will be left, addressed to
H. S. FLEMING,
W. S. BISSELL,
Building Committe

LOCK HAVEN, P

MESSRS. LIPPINCOTT & BAKEWE
PITTSBURGH, P

GENTS: We have been using your make of G Saws in our Mill, and find them, in point of qua superior to any we have ever used.
Yours, &c.,
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ORRIN SHAW, Foreman,

JAMESTOWN, N. Y

LIPPINCOTT & BAKEWELL:
We have no trouble with your Saws; they d need to be lined up with paper; we put them on Mandrel and they go right along.
Temper perfectly uniform and quality unsurpas
Respectfully,
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MANUFACTURERS OF
Circular, Mulay, Mill, Gang and Cro Cut Saws.
Chopping Axes, all shapes.
Colburn's Patent Axe,
Shovels and Spades, and Miles' Pate Covered Scoops.

CHANGE OF BAS
ON APRIL 1st, 1869.
T. B. YOUNG & CO
FURNITURE MANUFACTURERS,
Will Remove their business from their present lo tion, No. 38 Smithfield street, to the large and co modious five story Brick Building,
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JAS. T. BRADY & CO.

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BUY AND SELL ALL KINDS OF

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Cor. Fourth and Smithfield Sts.

DEALERS IN ALL

Government Securities.

We will receive applications for Policies of Life Insurance in the

New National Life Insurance Co.

OF THE UNITED STATES.

Full information given at our office.

FINANCE AND TRADE.

Thursday Evening, February 25, 1869.

The local money market is working easier, and a better supply of loanable funds is reported at many of the discount houses. [illegible]

—Government bonds are up again to the highest figure they touched a week ago. [illegible]

PRODUCE AND GENERAL MARKETS.

Office of the Pittsburgh Commercial, Thursday Evening, February 25, 1869.

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PITTSBURGH OIL TRADE.

[illegible]

CENTRAL AND UNION

Pacific RR. Bonds.

The cheapest investment now in the market. For sale by

PH. R. MERTZ, Banker,

COR. FIFTH AVE. AND WOOD ST.

Also dealer in Government Bonds, Gold, Coupons and Foreign Exchange, at market rates.

New York Finance and Trade.

Gold Closed at 131 [illegible]

New York, February 25—[illegible]

[illegible]

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO MARKET.

Chicago, February 25, 1869.

[illegible]

New York Market.

[illegible]

Cincinnati Market.

[illegible]

St. Louis Market.

[illegible]

Cleveland Market.

[illegible]

RIVER TELEGRAMS.

Morgantown.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

Morgantown, W. Va., February 25, 1869.

River falling, with two feet of water in the channel. Weather cloudy; thermometer rose to 52°. W.

Brownsville.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

Brownsville, February 25, 1869.

River falling slowly, with about eight and a half feet of water in the channel. Weather cloudy; thermometer 38° at 6 P. M. Mc.

Oil City.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

Oil City, Pa., February 25, 1869.

Two feet water and at a stand. Considerable ice running. Weather cloudy with prospect of snow. Thermometer 41° at 6 P. M. F.

Greensboro.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

Greensboro, February 25, 1869.

River falling with about eight feet of water. Weather clear; thermometer 30° at 6 P. M. C.

Louisville.

Louisville, February 25.—Weather cloudy and wet. River falling, with eight feet two inches water in the canal.

RIVER NEWS.

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

Arrived.		
Elizabeth	Houghton	Elizabeth.
Chieftain	Phillips	Geneva.
Franklin	Clark	Geneva.
Bayard	Moore	Parkersburg.
Departed.		
Elector	Donaldson	Geneva.
Elizabeth	Houghton	Elizabeth.
Chieftain	Phillips	Geneva.
Silver Bow	Rea	Omaha.
Glasgow	Robinson	Cincinnati.

Monongahela Marks—Eight feet four inches and falling.

The Marks—Last evening indicated eight feet four inches and falling. The weather during the day was pleasant. Business on the landing was active and shipments liberal.

The America, Captain McCallum, follows the Maggie Hays to St. Louis.

The Belle Vernon, Captain Darragh, will be the first boat for Memphis and New Orleans.

The steamer Emma No. 3, Capt. J. H. Maratta, left New Orleans for Cincinnati on the 21st.

Thanks.—We are indebted to Mr. Anderson of the Kenton, for a manifest.

The Maggie Hays, Capt. R. C. Martin, will load in turn for Cairo and St. Louis.

The Armadillo, Captain McCarthy, is the first boat for Cairo and St. Louis.

The Glasgow, Captain Robinson, left for Cincinnati with a fair trip. Pilots, Thomas Jarvis and March Hays.

The new steamer Silver Bow, Capt. Rea, left last evening for Omaha with a splendid trip. Pilots, John Ferguson and Thomas Morris.

The Portsmouth, Ironton and Big Sandy Packet Company has increased its capital [illegible].

The Fairy Queen, which was snagged and sunk in Black river, Thursday last, lies in an easy position, and will be easy raised.

The fine packet Sallie, Captain T. S. Calhoun, is announced for Kansas City, St. Joseph and Omaha direct, on Friday. To persons going that way a fine opportunity is presented.

The powerful towboat Mary Davage and barges, Captain James Sheddon, is announced for Evansville, Cairo and St. Louis on Saturday.

Ice for the South.—A contract has been entered into at Dubuque for the cutting of 3,000 tons of ice from Lake Pepin for the southern market.

The Parkersburg packet for this day is the steamer Bayard, Captain George D. Moore, leaving at noon. Persons going that way will be well cared for.

The first-class freight packet, R. C. Gray, Captain Whitaker, is announced for Cincinnati and Louisville this day. Shippers will bear this in mind.

The steamer Havana, from Nashville, has the following freight for Pittsburgh: 200 sacks meal, 22 hhds. beans, 65 sacks dried fruits, 78 bags peanuts; Brown Bros., 27 empty oil bbls; James A. Frazier & Co., 49 casks bacon.

Coal Barges Sunk.—On Monday evening the Grand Lake sunk two barges of coal at the head of the island at the foot of the falls, and the Lake Erie sunk one barge at the same place, caused by striking the bridge pier.

Freights are light along the Arkansas. All the cotton that is within reach of the river is already out, except in some localities where the bayous and streams have been too high to admit of hauling to the river bank.

The Northern Packet Line is on the track. The fine steamer Savannah, Captain Isherwood, is announced for St. Louis, Galena and Dubuque. She will commence receiving on Monday, March 1st. This boat will go through without reshipping, offering superior accommodations to persons going west.

The fine packet Sallie, Captain T. S. Calhoun, will positively load for Omaha direct. She has already several lots of freight engaged. The Sallie was built expressly for the Missouri river, has superior accommodations, and is in charge of careful and attentive officers. The first clerk is Mr. John A. Q. Farr, a clever and gentlemanly officer.

The punctual Portsmouth packet, Kenton, with Commander Kerr in command, takes her departure this day at four P. M., positively. This boat has the best of accommodations, and is in charge of careful and attentive officers. Mr. Anderson, who presides in the office, will see that passengers have the best of attention.

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IMPORTS BY RAIL.

Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago R. R.

[illegible]

Cleveland & Pittsburgh R. R.

[illegible]

Allegheny Valley R. R.

[illegible]

[illegible]

Pittsburgh & Connellsville R. R.

[illegible]

IMPORTS BY RIVER.

Pittsburgh, Brownsville and Geneva Packet Co.

[illegible]

Portsmouth.

Per Steamer Kenton.—[illegible]

RIVER PACKETS.

PORTSMOUTH AND CINCINNATI.

For Wheeling, Marietta, Parkersburg, Big Sandy, Ironton and Portsmouth.

FRIDAY, 4 P. M.

THE FINE PASSENGER Steamer KENTON, W. H. Kerr, Commander, Wm. Anderson, Clerk, will leave as announced above.

For Freight or Passage apply on Board or to JOHN FLACK, Agent.

PARKERSBURG.

For Wheeling, Marietta and Parkersburg.

EVERY TUESDAY AND FRIDAY—12 M.

THE SIDEWHEEL PACKET BAYARD, G. D. Moore, Commander, will leave as announced above.

For Freight or passage apply on Board, or to JAMES COLLINS, Agent.

For Parkersburg.

WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY AT 12 M.

THE SPLENDID PASSENGER Steamer GREY EAGLE, Capt. C. L. Brennan, will leave as announced above.

For freight or passage apply on board, or to FLACK & COLLINGWOOD, or BARNES & COLLINS, Agents.

MUSKINGUM RIVER PACKET LINE.

For Wheeling, Marietta and Zanesville.

Leaves Pittsburgh Every TUESDAY—4 P. M.

Leaves Zanesville Every FRIDAY—8 A. M.

THE NEW AND SPLENDID Passenger Steamer JULIA No. 2, Captain Wm. Curtiss, will leave as announced above.

For Freight or Passage apply on Board, or to G. B. GHRIEST & CO., Agents.

LOUISVILLE.

For Cincinnati and Louisville.

THIS DAY—4 P. M.

THE FIRST-CLASS FREIGHT Steamer R. C. GRAY, I. R. Whittaker, Commander, will leave as announced above. Boat will take Nashville, Memphis and New Orleans Freight.

For freight apply on board.

FLACK & COLLINGWOOD, Agents.

ST. LOUIS.

For Evansville, Cairo and St. Louis.

MONDAY, March 1st—4 P. M.

THE FINE PASSENGER steamer MAGGIE HAYS, Captain R. C. Martin, will leave as announced above.

For Freight or Passage apply on Board, or to FLACK & COLLINGWOOD, JAS. COLLINS, G. B. GHRIEST & CO., A. J. HASLETT, Agents.

For Evansville, Cairo and St. Louis.

SATURDAY, February 27—4 P. M.

THE POWERFUL TOWBOAT MARY DAVAGE and Barges, Captain James Sheddon, will leave as announced above.

For Freight apply on board at foot of Market street, or to CHARLES BARNES, Agent.

For Evansville, Cairo and St. Louis.

THIS DAY, February 26—4 P. M.

THE FINE PASSENGER steamer ARMADILLO, A. McCarty, Commander, will leave as announced.

For Freight or Passage apply on Board, or to G. B. GHRIEST, or FLACK & COLLINGWOOD, Agents.

OMAHA.

For Kansas City, St Joe and Omaha.

FRIDAY, 26th—4 P. M.

THE FINE PASSENGER Steamer SALLIE, Captain Calhoun, will leave as announced above.

For Freight or Passage apply on Board, or to FLACK & COLLINGWOOD, G. B. GHRIEST & CO., Agents.

NORTHERN LINE PACKET.

For Galena and Dubuque.

THE STEAMBOAT SAVANNA, Captain Robert Isherwood, will commence loading for the above and all intermediate ports on FIRST OF MARCH, and will go through without reshipping. For particulars apply to FLACK & COLLINGWOOD, or R. C. GRAY, Agents.

Northern Line Packet.

For St. Paul.

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Authorized Capital	$200,000 00	
Subscribed Capital	100,000 00	
Paid up Capital	64,000 00	
ASSETS.		
Cash on Hand	7,656 07	
Book Accounts for Premiums	154 94	
Loans on Bonds and Mortgages	71,049 00	
Loans on other Securities	12,033 33	
Stock Notes	36,000 00	
Office Furniture and Safe	673 00	
Interest Accrued, but not Due	1,220 00	
	$128,777 34	
Balance, January 1, 1868	$27,258 17	
Received Fire Premiums in 1868	20,058 76	
Received Interest in 1868	7,905 79	
Received from other sources in 1868	1,501 58	
		$56,754 30
Fire Losses paid	$7,199 00	
Return Premiums	506 58	
Commissions	503 42	
Salaries, Rent and other Expenses	4,626 33	
Taxes and Stamps	1,141 63	
Dividends	14,000 00	27,976 96
Balance		$28,777 34
Outstanding Risks, Dec. 31, 1868		$1,133,576 47
LIABILITIES.		
Fire Losses	$832 20	
Cargo Loss—Estimated	2,200 00	
Taxes to State	1,093 12	$4,125 32

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Mail	7:15 am	Mail	5:40 pm
Express	7:10 pm	Express	6:30 am
Brady's B'd Ac.	3:00 pm	Brady's B'd Ac.	10:30 am
1st Soda Works Accom'n	10:50 am	1st Soda Works Accom.	8:20 am
2d Soda Works Accom'n	5:00 pm	2d Soda Works Accom.	3:40 pm

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Mail Train	1:30 am	Day Express	2:30 am
Fast Line	2:40 am	Wall's No. 1	6:30 am
Wall's No. 1	6:20 am	Mail Train	8:15 am
Brinton Ac.	7:50 am	Cincinnati Ex.	12:35 pm
Wall's No. 2	8:50 am	Wall's No. 2	11:20 am
Cincinnati Ex.	9:40 am	Johnstown Ac.	3:25 pm
Johnstown Ac.	10:35 am	Braddocks No1	4:20 pm
Baltimore Ex.	1:45 pm	Phila. Exp.	5:10 pm
Phila. Exp.	2:05 pm	Wall's Ac No.3	5:20 pm
Wall's No. 3	1:30 pm	Wall's Ac No.4	6:15 pm
Braddocks No1	5:50 pm	Fast Line	7:50 pm
Wall's No. 4	7:25 pm	Wall's No. 5	11:00 pm
Way Passenger and Emg't tr'n	10:20 pm		

The Church Trains leave Wall's Station every Sunday at 9:15 a. m., reaching Pittsburgh at 10:05 a. m. Returning leaves Pittsburgh at 12:50 p. m., and arrive at Wall's Station at 2:00 p. m.

Cincinnati Express leaves daily. All other Trains daily except Sunday.

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From DECEMBER 20, 1868, Trains will leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, North Side, Pittsburgh, City Time, as follows:

Leave.		Arrive.	
Chicago Exp.	3:03 am	Chicago Exp.	3:13 am
Erie & Ygn Ex	7:28 am	Chicago Ex.	11:58 am
Cl. & Whg Mail	6:28 am	Wheeling Ex.	11:13 am
Chicago Mail	6:58 am	Crestline Mail	3:53 pm
Chicago Ex.	10:08 am	Chicago Ex.	4:38 pm
Cl. & Whg Exp	2:23 pm	Cleveland Ex.	4:08 pm
Chicago Exp.	2:43 pm	Erie & Ygn Ex	6:13 pm
Wh'g & Erie Ex	[illegible]	Cl & Whg Ex.	6:58 pm
Depart from Allegheny.		**Arrive in Allegheny.**	
N. Br'tn Acc.	8:58 am	N Brighton Acc	7:03 am
Leetsdale Acc.	10:28 am	N Brighton Acc	8:28 am
Leetsdale Acc.	11:58 am	N Castle Acc.	10:33 am
Rochester Acc.	1:33 pm	Leetsdale Acc.	9:13 am
Leetsdale Acc.	3:58 pm	Leetsdale Acc.	1:08 pm
N. Brit'on Acc.	5:33 pm	N Brighton Ac.	2:43 pm
New Brit'on Ac.	6:28 pm	Leetsdale Acc.	4:53 pm
Leetsdale Acc.	10:43 pm	Leetsdale Acc.	7:18 pm
Leetsdale, Sunday Church	1:13 pm	Leetsdale, Sunday Church	9:58 am

2:43 P. M. Chicago Express leaves daily.

11:58 A. M. Chicago Express arrives daily.

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General Ticket Agent.

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD—On and after NOVEMBER 22, 1868, the Passenger Trains on the Western Pennsylvania Railroad will arrive at and depart from the Federal Street Depot, Allegheny City, as follows:

Arrive.		Depart	
Springdale Acc. No. 1	6:40 am	Mail	7:00 am
Freeport AcNo1	8:20 am	Freep't AcNo1	9:15 am
Express	10:40 am	Shps'gAc.No.1	11:20 am
Shps'gAc. No. 1	1:25 pm	Express	2:45 pm
Freep't AcNo.2	4:00 pm	Springdale Acc. No. 1	3:20 pm
Mail	5:55 pm	Freep't Ac.No.2	5:20 pm
Springdale Acc. No. 2	6:45 pm	Springdale Acc. No. 2	7:10 pm

Above Trains run daily except Sunday.

The Church Train leaves Allegheny Junction every Sunday at 7:40 A. M., reaching Allegheny City at 9:50 A. M. Returning, leave Allegheny City at 1:20 P. M., and arrives at Allegheny Junction at 3:45 P. M.

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	Depart.	Arrive.
Mail Express	3:13 am	12:13 pm
Fast Line	10:13 am	7:33 pm
Fast Express	2:58 pm	12:18 am
Mixed Way	5:43 am	6:43 pm
McDonald Ac. No. 1	11:28 am	8:33 am
Steubenville Accom'n	3:38 pm	9:48 am
McDonald Ac. No. 2	5:08 pm	3:18 pm

The 2:58 p. m. Express will leave Daily. The 12:13 p. m. Mail will arrive Daily.

The 10:13 a. m. Train leaves daily, Sundays excepted, and makes close connections at Newark for Zanesville and points on Sandusky, Mansfield and Newark Railroad.

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On and after TUESDAY, Nov. 17, 1868, the Trains will leave the Depot, corner Grant and Water streets, as follows:

	DEPART.	ARRIVE.
Mail to and from Uniontown	7:00 am	6:00 pm
M'Keesport Accommodation	11:00 am	2:00 pm
Express to and from Uniontown	3:00 pm	10:10 am
West Newton Accommodat'n	4:30 pm	8:35 am
Braddock's Accommodation	6:15 pm	7:55 am
Night Accommodation to McKeesport	10:30 pm	6:45 am
Sunday Church Train to and from West Newton	1:00 pm	10:00 am

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CITY MATTERS.

ALLEGHENY COUNCILS.

The Eighth Ward Election Difficulty—Admission of Mr. Callery—Report from the Committee—The Project of Extending Federal Street—Sewage Pipes—Resolutions, Etc., Etc.

A regular meeting of the Select and Common Councils of Allegheny City was held in their respective chambers, City Building, Thursday evening, February 25th, 1869.

SELECT COUNCIL.

[illegible]

COMMON COUNCIL.

[illegible]

LOCAL LEGISLATION.

Peoples' Turnpike Company—The Improvement of the County Buildings, Etc.

We have received copies of a number of local bills, the more important of which we condense.

THE PEOPLES' TURNPIKE.

[illegible]

THE COUNTY BUILDINGS.

[illegible]

BELLEVUE BOROUGH.

[illegible]

REGISTRY OF LOTS IN ALLEGHENY.

[illegible]

An Appeal for the Ladies' Relief Society of Allegheny.

[illegible]

Real Estate Sales.

[illegible]

The Fatal Accident Near Homewood—Conclusion of the Coroner's Inquest.

[illegible]

ARRESTED ON A BAIL PIECE AND RELEASED.—[illegible]

HAND SMASHED.—[illegible]

OFF THE TRACK.—[illegible]

PERSONAL.—[illegible]

A SAD AFFAIR.

The Supposed Drowning of Five Persons in the Monongahela River—Further Particulars of the Affair.

A special dispatch to the COMMERCIAL from Morgantown, published yesterday, stated that five men were supposed to have been drowned between that place and Geneva. We have obtained the following additional particulars of the affair. It appears that on Friday of last week John [illegible], a resident of Morgantown, West Va., died in Monongahela City and Mr. E. H. Tower, formerly a resident of Pittsburgh, R. J. Williams and Stockton Harvey, of Monongahela City, took the body of deceased to Morgantown, going up on the Brownsville boat to Geneva, the head of slack-water navigation, and from there across the country to Morgantown. On Friday these three gentlemen, together with William Lowe, of Wooster, Ohio, and Beckwith Sears of Morgantown, started in a skiff to come down to Geneva, a distance of about twelve miles, to meet the Brownsville boat, on which they expected to come down the river. Nothing has been seen or heard of the party since. Their friends in Monongahela City became alarmed and telegraphed to all points between Morgantown and Geneva, but were unable to obtain any information of the missing party. On Monday last the skiff in which they started was found in the river a short distance above Geneva bottom upwards, and a hat, identified as the one worn by William, has since been found. The affair has created a good deal of excitement in Monongahela City, and cast a gloom over the entire community. The public generally entertain the opinion that the disappearing parties have all been drowned.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

Court of Common Pleas—Judge Sterrett.

The following cases were tried in this Court yesterday:

[illegible]

TRIAL LIST.

The following is the trial list for the Court of Common Pleas for to-day:

[illegible]

United States District Court—Judge McCandless.

[illegible]

Court then adjourned.

District Court.

[illegible]

Confidence Game—A Farmer Swindled Out of $125.

A German farmer residing near Sharon, Pa., came to this city on the 11:25 train yesterday morning, on his way to visit his brother-in-law in McKeesport. He was met at the depot by two finely dressed, good looking young men, who escorted him to the Monongahela House Saloon, and invited him to take a drink with them. He was charmed with his new acquaintances, who appeared to him to be young men of property and fine business qualifications. After they left the saloon, Sharpers No. 1 and 2 struck up the usual conversation about the usual bill which No. 2 owed No. 1, and No. 2 succeeded in borrowing $125 from the German, giving in security what purported to be a one thousand dollar bond, but which was in reality, a certificate of a Life Insurance Company worth nothing more than the paper it was printed on. The German's newly made friends deserted him immediately, and thinking there might be some mistake about it he made inquiry and learned that his supposed security was worthless. He has not been able to see or hear anything of his young friends since.

Alleged Larceny.

Edward Kearns was arrested by the Mayor's police yesterday afternoon, on a charge of larceny. It appears that Edward and a man named Vance stopped at Daniel Ferguson's hotel, corner of Fourth avenue and Ferry street, on Wednesday afternoon last, and on Thursday morning, after they had arisen and gone, a man employed at the house went to the room they had occupied the night previous, when he discovered that his trunk had been broken open, and a vest, pair of pantaloons and some other articles stolen therefrom. He at once started in pursuit of the parties, and finding Kearns, had him arrested as stated. After a partial hearing he was committed for a further hearing, and a warrant issued for the arrest of his companion, Vance. It is thought the stolen articles were thrown from a window by Vance, to Kearns, who stood in the yard below.

REPORTED ROBBERIES.—Three robberies are reported to have occurred at Irwin's Station, on the Pennsylvania Railroad, on Monday night. [illegible]

PROBABLY FATAL ACCIDENT.—Chas. Wright, a teamster in the employ of Spencer, McKay & Co., [illegible]

PLEASANT SURPRISE.—The oil dealers doing business on Duquesne Way have presented Mr. Robert A. Hill, Allegheny Wharfmaster, with the sum of one hundred dollars with which to purchase an artificial leg. Mr. Hill is a most accommodating and gentlemanly officer, and while serving his country during the late rebellion lost a leg, which the oil men propose to replace with an artificial one. The present is duly appreciated by the recipient, and his numerous friends have his hearty thanks.

COMPLETED.—The work of filling in the Four Mile Run ravine over which trains on the Connellsville Railroad formerly crossed on a high wooden trestle has been completed. The work was begun nearly two years since, and a force of workmen have been kept almost constantly at work during that time. The dirt was nearly all taken from Frankstown—first hauled by carts and then by the construction cars.

Public Amusements.

OPERA HOUSE.—[illegible]

COMING.—The favorite little actress, Lotta, will be the next star at the Opera House, and she will receive a cordial welcome.

DR. THAYER'S BENEFIT TO-NIGHT.—[illegible]

AMERICAN THEATER.—Harry Gurr, [illegible]

MUSEUM.—There is no more popular place of amusement in the city than the Museum, and Major Burnell deserves well of the public for his efforts to please.

Police Intelligence.

FRIDAY, February 26.

[illegible]

Interesting Presentation.

Mr. A. A. Hibberd, who for the past two years has held the position of Superintendent of Smith & Porter's locomotive and machine works, in South Pittsburgh, resigned his position on the 22d of the present month, and the employees of the establishment, learning of this, determined to give Mr. Hibberd some evidence of their appreciation of his worth. Accordingly, about seventy of the employees of the works assembled at the Rush House, on Liberty street, last evening, and after the election of Mr. George Naysmith as President, Mr. Loudon Campbell stepped forward, and in a neat but fitting speech presented Mr. Hibberd with an elegant chronometer gold watch, Appleton & Tracy movement, and a massive gold chain. Mr. Campbell spoke of the pleasantness that always existed between Mr. Hibberd and those employed under his immediate supervision and assured the gentleman that the testimonial was an evidence of the high estimation in which he was held by the employees. Mr. Hibberd received the present in his own behalf, remarking that it was entirely a surprise, and that he would ever prize it highly, not merely for its intrinsic value, but coming as it did from his fellow-employees, it contained more than volumes of unutterable words. He commended all the employees for their behavior during the past two years, and urged upon them all to conduct themselves in a similar manner in the future. In conclusion Mr. Hibberd referred to the amount of work done during the year, of the enterprise of the firm, and stated that his resignation at this time was attended with many painful circumstances. Bidding them farewell he retired amid loud cheers. The watch, as before stated, was a very handsome one, and bore the inscription: "To A. A. Hibberd, Superintendent; by the employees of Smith & Porter's Locomotive Works, Pittsburgh, Pa. In token of their esteem. February 22d, 1869." It was manufactured by C. Terheyden, Jeweler, Smithfield street. After the presentation ceremonies, the company adjourned to the spacious dining room of the Rush House, where a hearty repast was enjoyed. After that, Mr. Naysmith read an excellent address on the parting of friends, which visibly affected a number of those present. As an evidence of the confidence reposed in Mr. Hibberd, and the willingness displayed by the employees to do his bidding we may state that not long since he, with their assistance, removed a small locomotive, weighing ten tons, from the works in South Pittsburgh to the Pittsburgh Coal Works in Mt. Washington and had it in running order in about ten hours afterward. It had been taken apart, was removed to its destination by teams, set up and ready for use in the time stated. Such is the enterprise of the gentleman.

THE SABBATH QUESTION.—Rev. Philip Schaff, D. D., one of the most distinguished scholars and authors of our country, is to deliver an address on the above topic in the Second Presbyterian Church, (Rev. Dr. Howard's,) this evening, to commence at 7½ o'clock. All who desire that the Sabbath should be maintained in its sacredness and held in honor in this community are cordially invited to be present.

The Seeds of Sickness.

Baron Munchausen tells a story of a post-boy's horn, which had a number of wicked tunes blown into it one frosty night, but made no response. Nevertheless, when it was hung before a hot fire, the tunes, which had been frozen in, thawed out, to the amazement of all present. Just so the human system, subjected to injurious influences during the winter, sometimes gives no token of the effect they have produced upon it, until the moist atmosphere of spring develops their fruits. Many spring diseases are the result of winter imprudences, and great and especial care should be taken of the system in the cold season, so that it may be in a sound and vigorous condition when the malarious fogs of March and April make their appearance. To this end, strengthen the stomach and the general organization at this season with HOSTETTER'S BITTERS. Take this pleasant vegetable antidote in advance of the uprising of the mephitic mists and vapors, which produce chills and fever, and other miasmatic diseases. Remember that it is a *preventive* medicine—as powerful to *protect* as to *restore*. The stomach is apt to be overtaxed at this time of the year. It is a period devoted to dinner and supper parties, and luxurious living generally. Feasting and late hours weaken the digestive organs and disorder the liver. The effect of the Bitters is to invigorate the one and regulate the other. There is no month in the twelve when a tonic and alterative is more generally needed than in this, and there is no preparation of that nature so thoroughly salubrious, so bracing, and so entirely free from undue exciting properties, as this celebrated vegetable cordial.

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